

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Call to Order: Chair Mike Cuffe, on January 31, 2017 at 8:30 AM, in Room 317B Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Cuffe, Chair (R)
Sen. Cary Smith, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Mike Hopkins (R)
Rep. Rae Peppers (D)
Sen. Jon C. Sesso (D)
Sen. Jeffrey W. Welborn (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Crystal Bridges, Committee Secretary
Catherine Duncan, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 5, 1/31/2017

HEARING ON HB 5**Program Overview / Introduction:**

00:00:52 Russ Katherman, Department of Administration (DOA)

EXHIBIT(jlh22a01)

00:04:53 Sen. Sesso

00:05:01 Russ Katherman, DOA

00:05:25 Sen. Sesso

00:06:21 Chair Cuffe

00:06:32 Russ Katherman, DOA

00:06:52 Chair Cuffe

00:06:59 Russ Katherman, DOA

00:07:39 Marina Little, Department of Administration (DOA)

Proponents:

00:08:07 Paul Sihler, Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP)

EXHIBIT(jlh22a02)

00:10:10 Justin Temple, Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP)

00:10:57 Cathy Duncan, Legislative Fiscal Division, (LFD)

00:13:03 Justin Temple, FWP

00:14:32 Ken McDonald, Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP)

00:18:48 Chair Cuffe

00:19:14 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:19:52 Chair Cuffe

00:19:58 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:20:36 Chair Cuffe

00:20:54 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:22:15 Sen. Sesso

00:22:37 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:28:36 Chair Cuffe

00:28:49 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:33:12 Chair Cuffe

00:33:17 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:33:43 Rep. Peppers

00:34:00 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:34:35 Sen. Sesso

00:34:57 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:35:11 Sen. Sesso

00:35:26 Ken McDonald, FWP

00:35:34 Justine Temple, FWP

00:35:49 Sen. Sesso

00:35:53 Justin Temple, FWP

00:36:26 Sen. Sesso

00:36:57 Justin Temple, FWP

00:37:18 Sen. Sesso

00:37:24 Justin Temple, FWP

00:37:48 Ken McDonald, FWP

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 00:44:01 Chair Cuffe
 00:44:09 Ken McDonald, FWP
 00:44:38 Chair Cuffe
 00:44:57 Ken McDonald, FWP
 00:45:16 Sen. Welborn
 00:46:22 Ken McDonald, FWP
 00:52:30 Chair Cuffe
 00:53:28 Ken McDonald, FWP
 00:54:07 Chair Cuffe
 00:54:40 Sen. Welborn
 00:55:24 Chair Cuffe
 00:55:56 Sen. Sesso
 00:56:17 Tom Reilly, Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP)
 00:57:59 Sen. Sesso
 00:58:11 Tom Reilly, FWP
 00:58:57 Sen. Sesso
 00:59:19 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:00:00 Cathy Duncan, LFD
 01:00:14 Chair Cuffe
 01:00:27 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:01:44 Sen. Sesso
 01:01:56 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:02:17 Sen. Sesso
 01:02:32 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:04:37 Chair Cuffe
 01:04:41 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:12:16 Sen. Welborn
 01:12:55 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:13:42 Sen. Welborn
 01:14:04 Tom Reilly, FWP
 01:15:02 Sen. Welborn
 01:15:29 Tom Reilly, FWP
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 01:18:20 Paul Sihler, FWP
 01:22:03 Chair Cuffe
 01:22:18 Paul Sihler, FWP
 01:26:57 Chair Cuffe
 01:27:27 Paul Sihler, FWP
 01:30:05 Eileen Ryce, Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP)
 01:36:01 Sen. Sesso
 01:36:57 Eileen Ryce, FWP

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01:40:53 Chair Cuffe
01:42:57 Paul Sihler, FWP
01:43:07 Eileen Ryce, FWP
01:43:20 Rep. Peppers
01:43:42 Eileen Ryce, FWP
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01:44:15 Tom Reilly, FWP
01:45:16 Chair Cuffe
01:54:40 Eileen Ryce, FWP
01:56:12 Chair Cuffe
01:58:07 Mark Lambrecht, Rocky Montana Elk Foundation
01:59:57 Nick Gevock, Montana Wildlife Federation

EXHIBIT(jlh22a03)

02:01:12 Mark Cook, Wolves of the Rockies
02:01:56 Robert Sanders, Ducks Unlimited
02:03:10 Ben Lamb, National Wildlife Federation
02:04:39 Amy Seaman, Montana Audubon Society
02:06:00 Collin Cooney, Trout Unlimited

02:07:23 Recess
02:10:50 Reconvene

Closing by Sponsor:

02:11:10 Rep. Keane

Committee Business:

02:12:12 Cathy Duncan
02:13:00 Chair Cuffe

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 02:13:14

Crystal Bridges, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jlh22aad.pdf](#))